

## Daily Report For 2016-06-06

### Metal Bank

Sheetpile Repair  
Cottman Avenue  
Philadelphia, PA (US)  
Report number: 3340011G-21  
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### Status

6/6/2016 (Monday) - Day 18 of R6 stone installation in Zone 2; Day 19 of overall R6 stone installation. Day 5 of Dock Welders on-site. Surveyor and the Army Corps of Engineers also on-site. The crane was used to perform R6 stone placement between Targets C and D and between Targets C and B in Zone 2. The long-reach excavator was used to manage the R6 material stockpile area. Welders continued to prepare the waler repair area for installation of the new waler, which is scheduled to begin tomorrow, although the Army Corps of Engineers pointed out a few issues that will be addressed before welding begins. CEI conducted turbidity monitoring twice today, at approximately 0750 and 1315. The turbidity readings did not exceed performance criteria.

### Details of Construction Activities

0630 to 0700 - Ramboll Environ (June Yeung) and CEI on-site. Subcontractors for crane operation (Thackray) and Dock Welders also on-site. Surveyor (Weber) also on-site.

0700 - CEI performed health and safety meeting.

0705 - Crews mobilized to work areas.

0720 to 1500 - CEI performed stone placement with the crane in Zone 2. Stone placement was performed between Targets C and D from 0720 to 1200 and between Targets C and B after 1230. A CEI spotter assisted crane operator during stone placement throughout the day.

0725 to 1500 - Dock welders worked to prepare the area for installation of the new waler.

0730 to 0815 - CEI made adjustments to the turbidity curtain and took turbidity readings. The turbidity readings did not exceed performance criteria.

0900 to 1500 - New CEI operator for long-reach excavator on-site. This operator used the long-reach excavator to manage stockpiled R6 stone throughout the day.

0900 to 1025 - Three (3) representatives from the Army Corps of Engineers (David Depolo, Travis Fatzinger, and Danielle) on-site. Ramboll Environ examined Zone 2 repair area with the Army Corps of Engineers, who expressed the following concerns:

- The 1/4" filler rods proposed for use in CEI's Submittal No. 7.2 (Waler Repair Sequence and Procedures) are too big for overhead and vertical welds using Shielded Metal Arc Welding (SMAW). According to the American Welding Society Welding Procedure Specification (WPS) No. 1.1, the maximum diameter of the electrode for these types of welds is 3/16". Therefore, the filler rods used for overhead and vertical welds should be 5/32" or 1/8". According to this WPS, 1/4" filler rods are only allowed for fillet or groove welds in a flat position or fillet welds in a horizontal position. **Contractor Response:** Smaller rods will be used (5/32" or 1/8") contingent upon RAC approval.

- The Army Corps of Engineers stressed that the welder should use a backing bar for single v-groove welds, as indicated in Submittal No. 7.2. Consequently, CEI recut and rebeveled butt of one waler in Zone 2 repair area to account for the use of backing bars.

1200 - Surveyor off-site.

1245 to 1330 - CEI made adjustments to the turbidity curtain and took turbidity readings. The turbidity readings did not exceed performance criteria.

1530 - CEI off-site.

1600 - Ramboll Environ off-site.

### The Week Ahead

**Tuesday 6/7**

Continue R6 stone placement in Zones 2 and 3.

Walter Papp of RA Consultants and Army Corps of Engineers on-site.

Delivery of additional filler rods for welding.

**Wednesday 6/8**

Continue R6 stone placement in Zone 3

**Thursday 6/9**

Continue R6 stone placement in Zone 3

**Friday 6/10**

Continue R6 stone placement in Zone 3

**Monday 6/13**

Continue R6 stone placement in Zone 3

The following activities will also take place over the next few days, although the exact dates are currently unknown:

- Continue waler repair work. Waler repair completion date uncertain.
- Tie-rod testing following waler repair
- Surveyor will be on site one more time this week

## Contacts and people present

| Role and company name                                       | Name            | Contact information                                  | Present | Sent |
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| Laborer<br>[Creamer Environmental, Inc.]                    | Laborer 2       |  | ✓       |      |
| Laborer<br>[Creamer Environmental, Inc.]                    | Laborer 3       |  | ✓       |      |
| Laborer<br>[Creamer Environmental, Inc.]                    | Laborer 4       |  | ✗       |      |

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| Design Engineer<br>[RAC]                  | Walter Papp        | walter@racllc.com                      | ✗ | ✓ |
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| Operator<br>[Thackray Crane Rental, Inc.] | Operator 2         |  | ✓ |   |
| Oiler 1<br>[Thackray Crane Rental, Inc.]  | Oiler 1            |  | ✓ |   |
| Welder<br>[Creamer Environmental, Inc.]   | Welder 1           |  | ✓ |   |
| Welder<br>[Creamer Environmental, Inc.]   | Welder 2           |  | ✓ |   |
| Welder<br>[Creamer Environmental, Inc.]   | Welder 3           |  | ✗ |   |

## Visitors

Material Delivery Trucks

Army Corps of Engineers (David Depolo, Travis Fatzinger, Danielle)

## Equipment On-Site

CASE CX250C Long Reach Excavator

CASE 821F Loader

CAROLINA SKIFF 19DLX Boat

American 9310 Lattice Boom Crane (equipped with grappler; clamshell bucket removed but still on-site)



Welding Equipment (welding generators, gas canisters, etc.)

## Material Tracking

Fifteen (15) loads of R6 stone, totaling 302.9 tons, were imported. Approximately 280 tons of material was placed today, roughly 230 tons were placed between Targets C and D and 50 tons were placed between Targets C and B.

A total of 3886.82 tons of R6 stone has been delivered to date. Approximately 3260 tons have been placed to date.

## Observations

| Remark  | Description   | Assignee(s):                           |
|---|---|--|
| <b>Rip-Rap</b>  |   |  |
| <b>✓ R6 stone placement</b><br><b>[3.1]</b><br>June 06, 2016                              | <p>R6 material placement continues in Zone 2 between Targets C and D and between C and B.</p> <div></div> <p>Extent of material placement between Targets D and C in Zone 2 at morning low tide (facing NE).</p> <p>Stone placement in the vicinity of Target C in the afternoon (facing NE).</p>  |  |
| <b>General / Other</b>  |   |  |
| <b>✗ Dock Welders</b><br><b>continuing water</b><br><b>repair [17.1]</b><br>June 06, 2016 | <p>Dock welders continue water repair activities.</p> <p>RAC should confirm the size of the filler rods to be used, since the Army Corps of Engineers indicates that the 1/4" rods specified in Submittal No. 7.2 seem to be too big, according to American Welding Society Welding Procedure Specification No. 1.1. CEI is currently not planning to use the 1/4" rods.</p> <p>Additionally, CEI needs to make sure the welders are aware of all the requirements before any welding is performed tomorrow. We understand that the foreman leading the welding effort was out today, but will be back tomorrow to ensure the finish welding follows the design requirements.</p> | <p>John Castellani<br/>Walter Papp</p> |



Rebeveling butt of one water in Zone 2 to account for use of backing bar.



Recut and rebeveled water in Zone 2 to account for use of backing bar.

## Testing and Monitoring

CEI provided today's turbidity monitoring data. These data indicate that there were no exceedences of the performance criteria. Survey data collected today will be provided to the EPA as soon as they become available.

## Documents

| Description                                 | Status   | Date       | Responsible     |
|---|----------|------------|-----------------|
| Baseline Bathymetric Survey                 | Received | 05/09/2016 | John Castellani |
| Baseline Wall Survey                        | Received | 05/09/2016 | John Castellani |
| Turbidity Monitoring 05/10/2016             | Received | 05/10/2016 | John Castellani |
| Stone Delivery Tickets 05/09/2016           | Received | 05/09/2016 | John Castellani |
| Turbidity Monitoring 05/11/2016             | Received | 05/11/2016 | John Castellani |
| Stone Delivery Tickets 05/11/2016           | Received | 05/11/2016 | John Castellani |
| Stone Delivery Tickets 05/10/2016 (Revised) | Received | 05/10/2016 | John Castellani |
| Stone Delivery Tickets 05/12/2016           | Received | 05/12/2016 | John Castellani |
| Turbidity Monitoring 05/12/2016             | Received | 05/12/2016 | John Castellani |
| Turbidity Monitoring 05/13/2016             | Received | 05/13/2016 | John Castellani |
| Turbidity Monitoring 05/16/2016             | Received | 05/16/2016 | John Castellani |
| Stone Delivery Tickets 05/16/2016           | Received | 05/16/2016 | John Castellani |
| Stone Delivery Tickets 05/13/2016           | Received | 05/13/2016 | John Castellani |
| Wall and Rip Rap Survey 5/16/16             | Received | 05/16/2016 | John Castellani |
| Turbidity Monitoring 05/17/2016             | Received | 05/17/2016 | John Castellani |

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| Turbidity Monitoring 05/18/2016                   | Received         | 05/18/2016 | John Castellani |
| Stone Delivery Tickets 05/19/2016                 | Received         | 05/19/2016 | John Castellani |
| Turbidity Monitoring 05/19/2016                   | Received         | 05/19/2016 | John Castellani |
| Turbidity Monitoring 5/20/2016                    | Received         | 05/20/2016 | John Castellani |
| Stone Delivery Tickets 5/20/2016                  | Received         | 05/20/2016 | John Castellani |
| Sheetpile and Rip Rap Survey 5/19/2016            | Received         | 05/19/2016 | John Castellani |
| Stone Delivery Tickets 05/23/2016                 | Received         | 05/23/2016 | John Castellani |
| Turbidity Monitoring 05/23/2016                   | Received         | 05/23/2016 | John Castellani |
| Sheetpile and Rip Rap Survey 5/23/2016            | Received         | 05/23/2016 | John Castellani |
| Turbidity Monitoring 05/24/2016                   | Received         | 05/24/2016 | John Castellani |
| Stone Delivery Tickets 05/24/2016                 | Received         | 05/24/2016 | John Castellani |
| Turbidity Monitoring 05/25/2016                   | Received         | 05/25/2016 | John Castellani |
| Turbidity Monitoring 05/26/2016                   | Received         | 05/26/2016 | John Castellani |
| Stone Delivery Tickets 05/26/2016                 | Received         | 05/26/2016 | John Castellani |
| Sheetpile and Rip Rap Survey 5/26/2016            | Received         | 05/26/2016 | John Castellani |
| Waste Manifest for Diesel Spill Cleanup Materials | Not yet received | 05/25/2016 | John Castellani |
| Turbidity Monitoring 05/27/2016                   | Received         | 05/27/2016 | John Castellani |
| Stone Delivery Tickets 05/27/2016                 | Received         | 05/27/2016 | John Castellani |
| Waler BOL 05/27/2016                              | Received         | 05/27/2016 | John Castellani |
| Welder Qualification_Michael Gill                 | Received         | 05/31/2016 | John Castellani |
| Turbidity Monitoring 05/31/2016                   | Received         | 05/31/2016 | John Castellani |
| Stone Delivery Tickets 05/31/2016                 | Received         | 05/31/2016 | John Castellani |
| Welder Qualification_Tyrone Livingston            | Received         | 06/01/2016 | John Castellani |
| Stone Delivery Tickets 06/01/2016                 | Received         | 06/01/2016 | John Castellani |
| Turbidity Monitoring 06/01/2016                   | Received         | 06/01/2016 | John Castellani |

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| Sheetpile and Rip Rap Survey 6/1/2016    | Received         | 06/01/2016 | John Castellani |
| Sheet Pile and Rip Rap Survey 06/02/2016 | Received         | 06/02/2016 | John Castellani |
| Stone Delivery Tickets 06/02/2016        | Received         | 06/02/2016 | John Castellani |
| Turbidity Monitoring 06/02/2016          | Received         | 06/02/2016 | John Castellani |
| Turbidity Monitoring 06/03/2016          | Received         | 06/03/2016 | John Castellani |
| Stone Delivery Tickets 06/03/2016        | Received         | 06/03/2016 | John Castellani |
| Turbidity Monitoring 06/06/2016          | Received         | 06/06/2016 | John Castellani |
| Stone Delivery Tickets 06/06/2016        | Received         | 06/06/2016 | John Castellani |
| Sheetpile and Rip Rap Survey 6/6/2016    | Not yet received | 06/06/2016 | John Castellani |

## General conditions

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